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NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS

(PRELIMINARY ESTIMATES)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

MARCH QUARTER 1965

Preliminary estimates of the number of new houses and flats commenced, completed, and under construction, during the quarter ended 31st March 1965 are shown in the following tables together with comparisons for previous periods. Table 1 shows numbers of new houses, Table 2 numbers of flats, and Table 3 numbers of new houses and flats combined.

The estimated totals shown for the quarter ended 31st March 1965 have been based on returns obtained from most large builders and a substantial proportion of small builders and owner-builders. Figures should be regarded as tentative only and will be revised when final figures are published in greater detail in the quarterly bulletin of Building Operations which will be issued about the middle of June 1965.

In Tables 2 and 3 the numbers of flats shown relate to individual new flats constructed as separate living units. Only new flats are included; flats obtained by the conversion of existing buildings are omitted.

Further particulars regarding definitions used, sources of information, and the scope of these statistics, are shown in the quarterly bulletin of Building Operations.

TABLE 1 - NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

(Including Owner-Built Houses) 1965 1964 Period 1959 1960 1961 1962 1963 COMMENCED Quarter ended -(a)2,625 31st March 1,958 2,067 2,168 2,300 2,860 2,413 2,286 2,379 2,849 2,356 2,145 2,474 30th June 2,932 3,176 2,573 2,349 2,487 30th September 2,265 2,883 31st December 2.086 2,342 1,738 2.444 2,679 10,534 11,524 8,440 9,573 Year 8,665 9,473 COMPLETED Quarter ended -2,267 (a)2,390 2,213 31st March 1,832 2,192 2,076 1,838 2,579 2,697 2,232 2,588 2,220 2,333 30th June 2,609 2,157 2,905 2,454 2,144 2,374 30th September 2,566 2,480 31st December 2,915 3,000 2,407 2,513 10,869 10,316 8,628 9,379 9,119 9,280 Year UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD At -(a)5,784 4,713 4,763 5,057 5,189 5,487 5,053 31st March 5,639 4,599 4,563 5,181 5,114 5,006 30th June 5,130 5,666 5,233 5,211 4,712 30th September 5,289 4,968 5,062 4,383 4,676 4,894 5,549 31st December

(a) Preliminary estimate subject to revision.

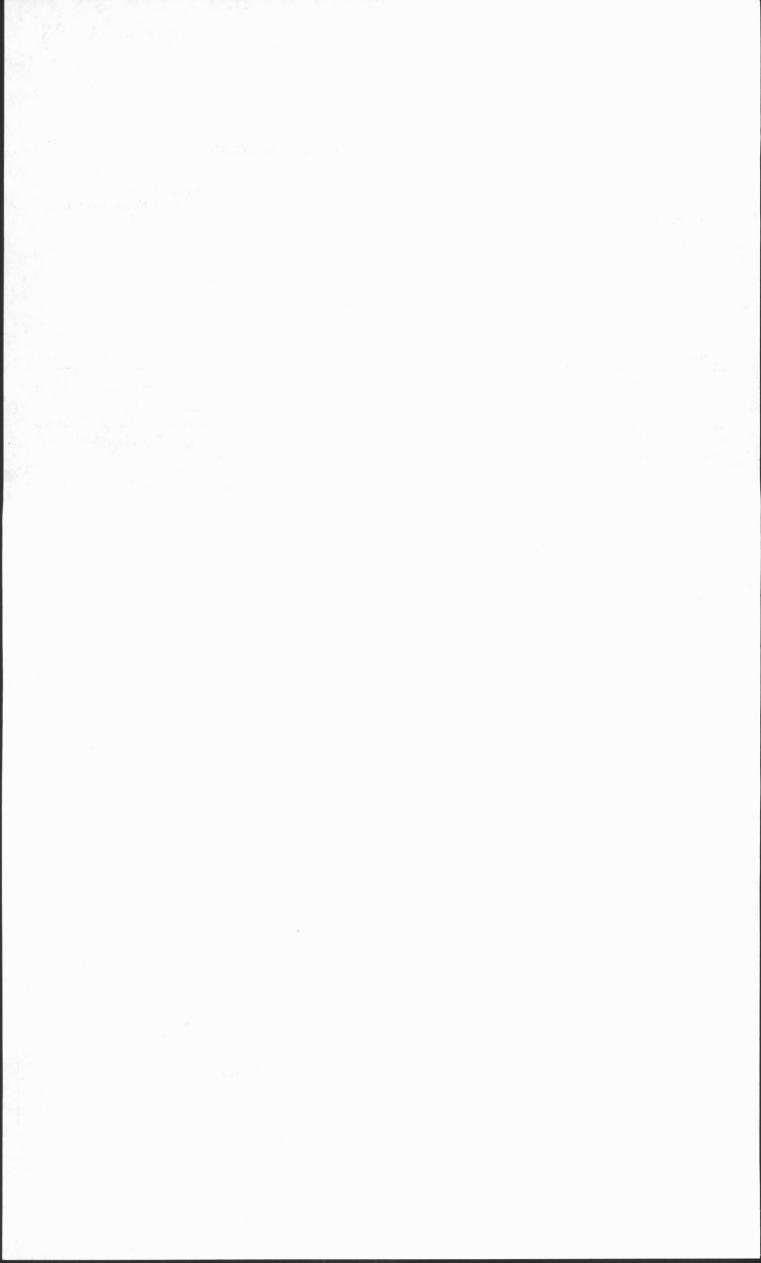


TABLE 2 - NUMBER OF NEW FLATS : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Period	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965
COMMENCED							
Quarter ended - 31st March 30th June 30th September 31st December	94 172 177 270	151 218 210 134	114 113 155 181	83 186 195 118	180 190 321 211	374 480 541 577	(a) 520
Year	713	713	563	582	902	1,972	
COMPLETED Quarter ended							
31st March 30th June 30th September 31st December	148 128 152 163	145 143 219 283	155 230 181 143	126 143 116 198	166 206 189 255	227 318 367 367	(a) 550
Year	591	790	709	583	816	1,279	
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD							
At - 31st March 30th June 30th September 31st December	378 422 447 554	560 635 626 477	436 319 293 331	288 331 410 330	344 328 460 416	563 725 899 1,109	(a)1,079

⁽a) Preliminary estimate subject to revision.

TABLE 3 - NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

(Including Owner-Built Houses) 1961 1963 1964 1965 Period 1959 1960 1962 COMMENCED Quarter ended -3,234 31st March 2,052 2,564 2,181 2,251 2,480 (a)3,1452,399 2,660 3,329 2,569 30th June 2,528 2,363 2,682 3,497 2,783 3,473 30th September 2,504 2,442 1,919 2,890 2,562 3,460 31st December 2,356 2,476 9,003 10,186 Year 9,378 10,155 11,436 13,496 COMPLETED Quarter ended -(a)2,940 31st March 1,980 2,337 2,231 1,964 2,379 2,494 3,015 2,360 2,363 2,563 2,731 2,785 30th June 3,272 2,673 2,798 30th September 2,309 2,325 2,490 2,570 2,796 2,709 3,367 31st December 2,678 3,170 9,219 9,863 10,169 9,828 11,132 12,148 Year UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD At -5,107 6,050 (a)6,863 5,435 5,001 31st March 5,749 5,489 4,891 5,603 5,749 5,325 4,930 6,364 30th June 5,122 5,590 30th September 5,736 5,859 5,504 6,565 5,006 6,658 31st December 5,522 5,539 4,714 5,310

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